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## Response to Amendment

The reply filed on 06 October 2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office

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the claim rejections in the Office Action mailed 23 September 2005. See 37 CFR 1.111.

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1)

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Joseph F. Edell whose telephone number is (571) 272-6858. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-5:00pm.

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